

REMARKS

Claims 3, 5-6 and 8 have been amended to remove multiple dependencies. Claims 10-12 are new claims. Support for the new claims is found in the original claims. An action on the merits and allowance of the claims is solicited. No new matter is added.

Respectfully submitted,

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IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows.

--3. (Amended) A process as claimed in [any of claims 1 and 2] claim 1, characterized in that the crystallization is carried out in the presence of at least one template compound.

5. (Amended) A process as claimed in claim 3 [or 4], characterized in that template compounds which are included in the dried crystalline solid are separated from the solid by means of at least one wash process.

6. (Amended) A crystalline solid preparable by a process as claimed in [any of claims 1 to 6] claim 1, characterized in that the zeolitic material is a Ti, Ge, Te, Ta, V, Cr, Nb or Zr zeolite of the structure type ABW, ACO, AEI, AEL, AEN, AET, AFG, AFI, AFN, AFO, AFR, AFS, AFT, AFX, AFY, AHT, ANA, APC, APD, AST, ATN, ATO, ATS, ATT, ATV, AWO, AWW, BEA, BIK, BOG, BPH, BRE, CAN, CAS, CFI, CGF, CGS, CHA, CHI, CLO, CON, CZP, DAC, DDR, DFO, DFT, DOH, DON, EAB, EDI, EMT, EPI, ERI, ESV, EUO, FAU, FER, GIS, GME, GOO, HEU, IFR, ISV, ITE, JBW, KFI, LAU, LEV, LIO, LOS, LOV, LTA, LTL, LTN, MAZ, MEI, MEL, MEP, MER, MFI, MFS, MON, MOR, MSO, MTF, MTN, MTT, MTW, MWW, NAT, NES, NON, OFF, OSI, PAR, PAU, PHI, RHO, RON, RSN, RTE, RTH, RUT, SAO, SAT, SBE, SBS, SBT, SFF, SGT, SOD, STF, STI, STT, TER, THO, TON, TSC, VET, VFI, VNI, VSV, WEI, WEN, YUG, ZON and ITQ-4 or of a

mixed structure comprising two or more of these structures or a mixture of two or more of these zeolites.

8. (Amended) The use of a solid preparable as claimed in [any of claims 1 to 5] claim 1, or of a solid [as claimed in claim 7 or 8] comprising at least one zeolitic material prepared by crystallizing from at least one precursor compound and the reaction discharge of the crystallization fed directly to a drying stage, drying being carried out in an atmosphere comprising less than 10% by volume of oxygen and at least one inert gas, characterized in that the zeolitic material is a Ti, Ge, Te, Ta, V, Cr, Nb or Zr zeolite of the structure type ABW, ACO, AEI, AEL, AEN, AET, AFG, AFL, AFN, AFO, AFR, AFS, AFT, AFX, AFY, AHT, ANA, APC, APD, AST, ATN, ATO, ATS, ATT, ATV, AWO, AWW, BEA, BIK, BOG, BPH, BRE, CAN, CAS, CFI, CGF, CGS, CHA, CHI, CLO, CON, CZP, DAC, DDR, DFO, DFT, DOH, DON, EAB, EDI, EMT, EPI, ERI, ESV, EUO, FAU, FER, GIS, GME, GOO, HEU, IFR, ISV, ITE, JBW, KFI, LAU, LEV, LIO, LOS, LOV, LTA, LTL, LTN, MAZ, MEI, MEL, MEP, MER, MFI, MFS, MON, MOR, MSO, MTF, MTN, MTT, MTW, MWW, NAT, NES, NON, OFF, OSI, PAR, PAU, PHI, RHO, RON, RSN, RTE, RTH, RUT, SAO, SAT, SBE, SBS, SBT, SFF, SGT, SOD, STF, STI, STT, TER, THO, TON, TSC, VET, VFI, VNI, VSV, WEI, WEN, YUG, ZON and ITO-4 or of a mixed structure comprising two or more of these structures or a mixture of two or more of these zeolites, and the zeolitic material comprises at least one element selected from the group consisting of aluminum, titanium, boron, iron, gallium, vanadium, zirconium, zinc, tin, tellerium, germanium, rare earth metals and a mixture of two or more thereof, and/or at least on element selected from the group consisting of sodium, potassium, magnesium, calcium, metals of groups Ib, IIb and VIIa and a mixture thereof, as a support material for a catalyst, as a sorbent, as a pigment or as a filler for plastics.

Claims 10-12 (New).--

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